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McDowell Hits Roles of CIA

The Central Intelligence Agency was wrong in assuming the power to "give the signal in the Cuban episode," according to U. S. Rep. Harris B. McDowell.

He will ask the House Foreign Affairs Committee, of which he is a member, to begin an immediate review of the authority of the agency, he said.

He said there is reason to believe the CIA has "involved the United States in what is close to a diplomatic fiasco" over the Cuban situation.

McDowell said he is one of three co-sponsors of a resolution seeking to create a joint Senate and House committee to supervise intelligence agencies. The resolution has not been acted upon.